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Jucamaya is a contemporary jazz quintet based in the midlands. Its music is original but not too wayout. Its tunes are melodic, memorable and stylish, modern but in tune with the jazz tradition... and nearly always have a strong rhythmic element. Pianist Graham Dent composes most of the music, but the band also take pleasure in dipping into the established jazz standards repertoire. The front line comprises saxophonist Ian Hill and trombonist Richard Baker, and the rhythm section is completed by Tom Bull on double bass, and Alan Savage (or Nick Millward) on drums